

## ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

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2       The present invention utilizes the non-sporulating mycelial stage of  
3 insect-specific parasitic fungi. The fungus can be present on grain, attracting  
4 the pest, and also infecting it through digestion. More than one fungus can  
5 be used in combination. The matrix of fungi can be dried or freeze-dried,  
6 packaged and reactivated for use as an effective bioinsecticide.